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*FLYER FOR THE LA OSFM ROPE AND CONFINED SPACE  
RESCUE TECHNICIAN COURSE*

The Louisiana State Fire Marshal's Office will conduct a combined Rope and Confined Space Rescue Technician course at any location designated by a requesting agency.

The course will be conducted as follows:

- Length: 6 days
- Time: approximately 8 hours per day
- Main topics
  - Scene size up and control
  - Rope rescue equipment
    - Hardware
    - Software
    - Rope
  - Rope rescue operations
    - Anchoring
    - Descending
    - Lowering
    - Hauling
    - Mechanical advantage systems
    - Litter systems
    - High line systems

Students will become competent through classroom training, practical application and the performance of scenario exercises. Students must successfully complete practical performances of all the job performance requirements listed in the latest edition of the NFPA Standard 1006 and pass a written test to receive certification. The OSFM will provide a lead instructor/class validator. The requesting agency will provide enough assistant instructors to maintain a 1:8 instructor to student ratio. Students will receive a certificate from the Fire Marshal's Office and the requesting agency will receive the following documentation:

- Roster
- Lesson plan
- Training plan
- Power point hand out
- Individual student practical application scoresheets
- Individual student written tests